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## PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Fiftieth Saturday in 1939  
(16th December 1939.)

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 16th December 1939								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains					
		This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939										
					This year	Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (-) of column 4 compared with column 5							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
BANGALORE	Bangalore(observatory)	0	00	0	09	35	26	33	99	1	27	Rice, 2nd sort.	This week Seers	Past week Seers	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers
	Hoskote	0	00	0	06	40	36	28	94	11	42		6'00	6'00	6'50
	Dodballapur	0	00	0	06	38	56	29	93	8	63		16'00	13'50	15'00
	Nelamangala	0	00	0	05	35	44	29	87	5	57		10'00	8'00	9'00
	Kankanhalli	0	00	0	10	37	91	30	47	7	44	Kadale	7'50	7'00	7'25
	Magadi	0	00	0	07	32	46	32	44	6	12		10'00	8'00	9'00
	Channarayana	0	00	0	10	37	13	32	62	4	51	Kulthi	10'00	8'00	9'00
	Anekal	0	00	0	07	32	51	33	07	0	56		7'50	7'00	7'25
	Devanahalli	0	00	0	11	39	03	29	10	9	93	Kadale	7'50	7'00	7'25
	Closepet	0	00	0	07	30	68	32	37	1	79		7'50	7'00	7'25
District average		0	00	0	07	36	53	31	28	5	25				
KOLAR	Kolar	0	00	0	16	30	76	27	51	3	25	Rice, 2nd sort.	8'00	8'00	7'00
	Bowringpet	0	00	0	11	28	22	28	45	0	23		15'00	15'00	13'00
	Chintamani	0	00	0	10	33	41	26	77	6	64		10'00	10'00	11'00
	Mulbagal	0	00	0	15	31	18	29	34	1	84		7'00	7'00	7'00
	Sidlaghatta	0	00	0	13	42	04	28	78	13	26	Kulthi	10'00	10'00	11'00
	Chikballapur	0	00	0	10	35	55	29	43	6	12		7'00	7'00	7'00
	Bagepalli	0	00	0	10	20	98	25	67	4	69	Kadale	7'00	7'00	7'00
	Goribidnur	0	00	0	04	23	98	27	11	3	13		7'00	7'00	7'00
	Malur	0	00	0	10	32	80	29	56	3	24	Kadale	7'00	7'00	7'00
	Srinivasapur	0	00	0	09	33	76	27	70	6	06		7'00	7'00	7'00
Gudibanda	0	00	0	09	32	19	30	07	2	12					
District average		0	00	0	10	31	35	28	21	3	14				
TUMKUR	Tumkur	0	00	0	10	31	35	28	21	3	14	Rice, 2nd sort.	8'00	8'00	5'00
	Madhugiri	0	00	0	05	31	70	31	97	0	27		16'00	16'00	11'00
	Chiknaikanhalli	0	00	0	04	30	59	26	57	4	02		9'50	10'00	12'00
	Sira	0	00	0	04	36	00	27	08	8	92		6'00	6'00	5'00
	Gubbi	0	00	0	10	25	59	22	38	3	21	Kulthi	9'50	10'00	12'00
	Tiptur	0	00	0	10	34	28	28	38	5	90		6'00	6'00	5'00
	Pavagada	0	00	0	09	29	95	24	10	5	85	Kadale	6'00	6'00	5'00
	Kunigal	0	00	0	04	22	44	21	09	1	35		6'00	6'00	5'00
	Koratagere	0	00	0	12	35	30	30	02	5	28	Kadale	6'00	6'00	5'00
	Turuvekere	0	00	0	04	29	10	25	30	3	80		6'00	6'00	5'00
District average		0	00	0	09	31	45	27	49	3	96				
		0	00	0	07	30	64	26	44	4	20				

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		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939										
						This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (-) of column 4 compared with column 5						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
MYSORE	Mysore (observatory)	0	00	0	07	26	59	29	64	—	3	05	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	This week Seers 7'00 13'00 8'00 10'00	Past week Seers 7'50 13'50 8'00 10'00	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers 9'00 14'00 9'00 10'00
	banarajnagar	0	00	0	16	32	80	26	83	—	5	97				
	Hunsur	0	00	0	15	28	27	30	82	—	2	55				
	Krishnarajnagar	0	00	0	12	27	05	25	22	0	83					
	Heggadevankote	0	00	0	12	34	75	37	63	—	2	88				
	Gundlupet	0	00	0	16	28	83	25	76	3	07					
	Nanjangud	0	00	0	09	33	68	28	44	0	24					
	T-Narsipur	0	00	0	08	31	04	27	50	—	3	54				
	Periyapatna	0	00	0	12	39	43	33	43	6	00					
	District average	0	00	0	12	31	38	29	47	1	91					
MANDYA	Mandya (observatory)	0	00	0	10	27	21	27	16	0	05	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi	7'75 13'50 9'50	7'25 13'50 9'50	8'00 15'00 11'00	
	Seringapatam	0	00	0	10	30	44	26	61	3	83					
	Malvalli	0	00	0	09	24	75	26	96	—	2					21
	Krishnarajpete	0	00	0	12	22	91	28	97	—	6					06
	Nagamangala	0	00	0	07	26	89	27	30	—	0					41
	Maddur	0	00	0	05	32	52	27	92	4	60					
	French-Rocks	0	00	0	09	35	12	16	54	8	58					
District average	0	00	0	09	28	55	27	35	1	20						
HASSAN	Hassan (observatory)	0	00	0	17	25	44	34	55	—	9	11	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	8'00 14'00 12'00 5'50	8'00 14'00 12'00 7'00	9'00 17'00 14'00 8'00
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	26	82	00	92	37	—	10	37				
	Arkalgud	0	00	0	23	38	49	37	26	1	23					
	Belur	0	00	0	20	36	64	40	04	—	3	40				
	Channarayapatna	0	00	0	07	27	38	27	21	0	17					
	Arsikere	0	00	0	10	29	70	26	21	3	49					
	Hole-Narsipur	0	00	0	15	26	95	27	59	—	0	64				
	Alur	0	00	0	22	49	20	42	47	6	73					
District average	0	00	0	17	39	47	40	96	—	1	49					
SHIMOGA	Shimoga	0	00	0	17	30	12	30	87	—	0	75	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi	7'25 16'00 9'07	7'25 16'00 9'75	6'47 15'76 9'80
	Channagiri	0	00	0	15	28	26	29	19	—	0	93				
	Honnai	0	00	0	09	32	42	23	35	9	07					
	Shikarpur	0	00	0	17	37	56	35	38	2	18					
	Scrab	0	00	0	12	51	79	61	02	—	9	23				
	Sagar	0	00	0	08	73	29	83	47	—	10	18				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0	00	0	07	102	09	103	31	—	1	22				
	Tirthahalli	0	00	0	14	104	91	120	79	—	15	88				
	Kumsi	0	00	0	07	35	59	40	94	—	5	35				
District average	0	00	0	12	55	11	58	70	—	3	59					
KADUR	Chikmagalur	0	00	0	21	42	38	35	12	7	26	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	8'00 14'00 10'00 7'00	8'00 14'00 16'00 7'00	8'00 14'00 10'00 7'00	
	Kadur	0	00	0	15	23	82	22	98	0	84					
	Tarikere	0	00	0	13	31	63	35	81	—	4					18
	Koppa	0	00	0	15	113	08	116	67	—	3					59
	Mudgere	0	00	0	12	83	47	95	39	—	11					92
	Narasimharajpura	0	00	0	19	57	02	69	13	—	12					11
	Sringeri	0	00	0	16	133	29	146	04	—	12					75
District average	0	00	0	16	69	24	74	45	—	5	21					
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	00	0	09	34	13	24	28	9	85	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Cholum Kadale	8'00 16'00 11'00 16'00 4'50	8'00 16'00 11'00 16'00 4'50	6'00 12'00 9'00 12'00 6'00	
	Challakere	0	00	0	11	22	07	17	76	4	31					
	Hiriyur	0	00	0	10	19	57	21	71	—	2					14
	Holalkere	0	00	0	17	24	80	24	27	0	53					
	Davangere	0	00	0	09	26	27	25	25	1	02					
	Molakalmuru	0	00	0	10	26	91	23	67	3	24					
	Jagalur	0	00	0	10	29	16	21	80	7	36					
	Hosdurga	0	00	0	25	24	76	23	35	1	41					
	Haribar	0	00	0	06	20	55	20	90	—	0					35
District average	0	00	0	12	25	36	22	56	2	80						
Provincial average		0	00	0	11	38	62	37	71	0	91					

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.  
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.  
Kulthi—Horvæstrum Dolichos Biflorus.

Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.  
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Cicer Arietinum.



## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable return of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.
11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS

8. Well supplied.
9. *Standing Crops*.—Avare, thogari, paddy and sugarcane in parts of Bangalore North, Bangalore South, Hoskote, Doddballapur, Nelamangala, Devanahalli, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Anekal and Closepet Taluks; horsegram in parts of Closepet, Anekal, Magadi, Nelamangala, Doddballapur and Hoskote Taluks; groundnut in parts of Magadi Taluk are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Sown*.—Potato in parts of Hoskote.  
*Crops Harvested*.—Ragi in parts of Devanahalli and Closepet Taluks; ragi and paddy in parts of Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.
10. Fair.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.  
 Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR

8. Well supplied.  
*Agricultural Operations*.—Wet lands are being ploughed for sowing Vaishaki paddy in Kolar Taluk.  
*Crops Sown*.—Potatoes in Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks.
9. *Standing Crops*.—Paddy, ragi, avare, sugarcane, thogari, horsegram and chillies.  
*Crops Harvested*.—Paddy in Kolar, Chikballapur and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; ragi and groundnuts in all Taluks; thogari in Kolar Taluk; potatoes in Kolar and Malur Taluks; onions in Chikballapur Taluk; same and saje in Mulbagal Taluk; sugarcane in Bagepalli Taluk.
10. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.
11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for Anthrox in Madivala, Malur Taluk.  
 Cooly classes find sufficient labour.  
 Fodder and water are generally available.

## TUMKUR

8. Markets are well supplied.  
*Agricultural Operations*.—Nil.
9. *Seeds Sown*.—Paddy in Tumkur Taluk and cholam in Gubbi Taluk are reported to have been sown.  
*Standing Crops*.—Avare and thogari in all Taluks; ragi in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane in Madhugiri, Gubbi, Kunigal, Kortagere and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy in Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks; groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks; castor seeds in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Turuvekere Taluks; cotton in Pavagada Taluk are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested*.—Ragi in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks; groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Pavagada and Kortagere Taluks; sugarcane in Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; cholam in Chiknayakanhalli and Madhugiri Taluks; kulthi in Pavagada Taluk; and castor seeds in Kortagere Taluk are reported to have been harvested.
10. Fair.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.  
 Water and fodder are also reported to be available.  
 Public health is generally good.

## MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

*Standing Crops*—Are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Seeds Sown*.—Nil.

*Crops Harvested*.—Ragi and paddy in Mysore and T.-Narsipur Taluk; ragi, green-gram, blackgram and paddy in Chamarajnagar Taluk; togari, tobacco and Bengalgram in Krishnarajnagar Taluk; and thogari and horsegram in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. It is reported that prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Mysore and Heggaddevankote Taluks.

Fodder and water are available.

## MANDYA.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown*.—Nil.

*Standing Crops*.—Are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks.

*Crops Harvested*.—It is reported that paddy and ragi in parts of Maddur, Malva Krishnarajpete and Seringapatam Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Maddur Seringapatam and French-Rocks Taluks; and groundnut in parts of Malval Taluk are being harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Chappero-ga" in Nittur and Avverahalli Villages of Malvalli Taluk. Action is reported to have been taken to arrest the spread of the disease.

## HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown*.—Nil.

*Standing Crops*.—Such as paddy, ragi, horsegram and sugarcane in Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, ragi, avare, thogari and kulthi in Channarayapatna Taluk; cotton, castor, chillis, thogari, avare, bengalgram and coriander in Arsikere Taluk; avare, thogari and horsegram in Hole-Narsipur Taluk and sugarcane, horsegram, thogari and avare in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops Harvested*.—Such as paddy and sugarcane in parts of Hassan and Belur Taluks; ragi and paddy in parts of Alur Sub-Taluk and Arkalgud Taluk; ragi in parts of Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and paddy in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be under harvest.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. I. *State of the Standing Crops*.—Paddy and sugarcane in the taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri and Nagar, sugarcane in Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shimoga Taluk and dry crops such as hurli, gram, thogari in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and wheat in Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

II. *Agricultural Operations*.—Greengram is being sown in Shikarpur Taluk.

III. *Crops Harvested*.—Paddy, ragi and jola in Shimoga and Sorab Taluks; jola in Channagiri and paddy in Shikarpur Taluks; paddy and ragi in Kumsi Sub-Taluk; paddy and areca-nut in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, and arecanut in Sorab Taluk are being harvested.



10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.  
Food grains are available.  
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.  
Fodder and water are available.

## KADUR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.  
*Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, avare, Bengalgram, summer jola, horse gram, castor, coriander, groundnut, cardamom, areca and coffee are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested.*—Paddy, ragi, areca, cardamom and coffee are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.
11. Cattle are reported to be in good health.  
Water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing—nil.  
*Standing Crops.*—Such as jola, avare, thogari, cotton, paddy, horsegram, sugarcane and castor are reported to be in good condition.  
*Crops Harvested.*—Ragi and Mungar jola in Chitaldrug Taluk; paddy, ragi and navane in Chellakere Taluk and Hiriur Taluk; jola, chillies and horsegram in Davangere Taluk; paddy and groundnut in Molakalmuru Taluk; ragi, groundnut, navane, jola and paddy in Jagalur Taluk and ragi, navane and horsegram in Hosdurga Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are good.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Pleuro Pneumonia" (ಪೊಮ್ಮೆ ರೋಗ) to cattle in Bommanakatte Village in Holalkere Taluk.  
It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed in the matter of adopting necessary preventive measures to check the spread of the disease.  
Water and fodder are available.  
There was no rainfall during the week.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER.  
IN MYSORE,  
Dated Bangalore, 19th December 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,  
Revenue Commissioner,

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1939.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas			District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas		
		Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram			Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	Srs. ch. 6 0	Srs. ch. 16 0	Srs. ch. 10 0	Mandya	Mandya ...	Srs. ch. 8 0	Srs. ch. 14 0	Srs. ch. 10 0
	South ...	6 8	18 0	12 0		Seringapatam ...	7 0	14 0	10 0
	Hoskote ...	7 0	15 0	10 0		Malvalli ...	7 0	14 0	9 0
	Dodballapur ...	7 0	14 8	6 8		Krishnarajpete ...	7 8	14 0	12 0
	Nelamangala ...	14 0	7 0	10 0		Nagamangala ...	8 0	14 0	9 0
	Kankanhalli ...	9 0	14 0	8 8		Maddur ...	7 0	18 0	8 8
	Magadi ...	8 8	16 0	9 8		French-Rocks ...	7 0	18 0	9 0
	Channapatna ...	not	furnished.			Hassan ...	8 0	14 0	12 0
	Anekal ...	6 8	14 0	8 0		Manjarabad ...	7 0	14 0	9 0
	Devanhalli ...	7 0	14 0	8 0		Arkalgud ...	9 0	20 0	9 0
Kolar	Closepet ...	7 0	14 0	9 0	Hassan	Belur ...	8 0	16 0	10 0
	Kolar ...	8 0	15 0	10 0		Channarayapatna ...	8 8	15 0	10 0
	Bowringpet ...	7 5	14 0	9 5		Arsikere ...	8 0	16 0	10 0
	Chintamani ...	7 0	14 0	9 5		Hole-Narsipur ...	8 0	16 0	11 0
	Mulbagal ...	8 0	14 0	9 0		Alur ...	10 8	16 0	9 0
	Sidlaghatta ...	7 0	14 0	9 5		Shimoga	7 4	16 0	9 12
	Chikballapur ...	8 5	15 0	10 0		Channagiri ...	8 0	16 0	9 0
	Bagepalli ...	8 5	16 0	10 0		Honnali ...	8 8	16 0	10 0
	Goribidnur ...	7 0	15 0	9 0		Shikarpur ...	9 0	20 0	10 0
	Malur ...	6 0	14 0	8 5		Sorab ...	8 0	20 0	9 8
Tumkur	Srinivasapur ...	7 0	15 0	10 0	Shimoga	Sagar ...	7 0	16 0	10 0
	Gudibanda ...	7 5	15 0	8 0		Hosanagar ...	7 8	14 0	10 0
	Tumkur ...	8 0	16 0	9 8		Tirthahalli ...	9 0	14 0	8 8
	Madhugiri ...	8 0	16 0	10 0		Kumsi ...	8 8	15 0	10 0
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	8 4	14 8	11 0		Chikmagalur ...	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Sira ...	8 0	18 0	11 0		Kadur ...	8 8	15 8	10 8
	Gubbi ...	7 8	18 0	10 0		Tarikere ...	9 0	16 0	10 0
	Tiptur ...	8 0	16 0	10 0		Koppa ...	8 8	14 8	10 0
	Pavagada ...	8 8	18 0	11 0		Mudgere ...	7 0	18 0	7 0
	Kunigal ...	8 0	14 0	10 0		Narasimharajpura ...	10 0	14 0	10 0
Mysore	Koratagere ...	8 0	16 0	9 0	Kadur	Sringeri ...	10 0	14 0	10 0
	Turvekere ...	8 0	14 0	10 0		Chitaldrug ...	8 0	16 0	11 0
	Mysore ...	7 0	18 0	10 0		Challakere ...	9 0	19 0	11 0
	Chamarajnagar ...	8 0	16 0	10 0		Hiriyur ...	9 0	18 0	12 0
	Hunsur ...	8 8	16 0	10 0		Holalkere ...	6 0	16 0	10 0
	Krishnarajnagar ...	8 8	16 0	12 0		Davangere ...	8 0	16 0	11 0
	Heggaddevankote ...	7 0	16 0	10 0		Molakalmuru ...	8 0	17 0	13 0
	Gundlupet ...	7 0	15 0	10 0		Jagslur ...	8 0	16 0	10 0
	Nanjangud ...	7 0	12 8	9 8		Hosdurga ...	8 0	18 0	12 0
	T.-Narsipur ...	6 8	14 0	10 0		Harihar ...	8 0	16 0	11 0
Mysore	Periyapatna ...	8 8	16 0	12 0					